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4 Old Jewry, E.C.

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SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports
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New Advertisements.

GREAT WORLD CIRCUS.

SECOND GRAND REPRESENTATION,

BY THIS MAMMOTH TRroupe,

THIS (WEDNESDAY), EVENING,

July 15th, 1868.

AND,

Every evening this week.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received in-
structions from the Trustees of DENT & CO.'S ESTATE, to sell by Public Auction
(if not previously disposed of by private
sale), on an early day in November next,
the Ground situated at the corner of
Wellington and Aguilar Streets on a
portion of Inland Lot No. 137, and
known as DENT & CO.'S STABLES.

The Property has a frontage of about
77 feet in Wellington Street, 76 feet on
d'Aguilar Street, and comprises an area
of about 7370 square feet.

The Sale will take place on the Pre-
mises at 3 P.M.

TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the pur-
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hammer and balance on completion of
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THE Undersigned will sell by Public
Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 16th July, 1868, at 12 o'clock, at
Sales Room, COMMERCIAL BANK
BUILDINGS—

An Invoice, consisting of a handsome
Assortment of Clocks, Time Pieces, &c.
Assorted Lusters.

Vases.

Mugs.

Cups and Saucers.

Paney-Boxes.

Albums.

100 doz. Eau de Cologne.

50 doz. Wine Glasses.

Umbrella Frames.

Lamps.

Brass Hinges.

Brass Bolts.

Locks.

Busts.

Calcine Glass.

Dish Covers.

Double barrel Fowling Pieces.

300 Rifles.

300 boxes Brown Soap.

100 cases Brandy.

Barrels Porter.

Ale.

And to close a consignment, a few cases
of Port Wine and Amontillado.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & CO.

Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS.

COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—GEORGE JOHN HELLAND, Esq.

Deputy Chairman.—Geo. F. HARDY, Esq.

W. H. FORBES, Esq.; JAMES B. TAYLOR,

SOLON D. SASSON, Esq.

Esq.; A. JOST, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMLAN, Esq.; P. DUNCAHAN,

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JULIUS MENKE, Esq.; RICHARD ROWETT, Esq.

Managers.

Hongkong, VICTOR KRUSSEN, Esq.

Chief Manager.

Shanghai, DAVID MACLEAN, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS.—London and County
Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED

ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate
of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily
balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 4 per cent. "

" 12 " 6 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities,
and every description of Banking and
Exchange business transacted.Drafts, granted on London, and the
chief Commercial places in Europe, India,
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Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,

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C H U T - S I N G ,

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English and American Canvas of the best
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Notices to Consignees.

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CONSIGNNEES of F (B in diamond) M
600/078—20 Bales Merchandise per
"PARLEZ-VOUS," shipped by Messrs A.
DURANT & Co. of Liverpool, are hereby
informed that the same have been landed
and stored at their risk and expense.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, July 2, 1868.

THE following case have been landed
and stored at the risk and expense of
the Consignees, who are requested to take
immediate delivery.
Ex "Dunant," 7th January, 1868.

AT 581 1 Case Paper.
B NO 120/122 3 cases Sweetmeats
C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, July 4, 1868.

P. M. S. S. CO.'S STR. "COLORADO"
FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN
FRANCISCO.

CONSIGNNEES of cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for
countersignature, and take immediate de-
livery of their Goods.

Cargo not called for within 24 hours after
the arrival will be landed and stored at
risk and expense of Consignees.
C. BERTRAND,
Agent.
Hongkong, July 4, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
M. R. A. H. TOLLUS GLUZENKAMP,
being from this date interested in our
Firm, will sign the same per procurator.
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
Hongkong, June 1, 1868. Isop

NOTICE.
M. R. EYLE HOLME has been admitted
a partner in our Firm.
GLOVER & Co.
Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
M. R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE
is authorized to sign our Firm per
procuration, at Foochow from this date.
BIRLEY & Co.
Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself at
this Port as a Public Tea Inspector and
General Commission Agent under the Style
or Firm of JOHN ODELL & Co.
John ODELL,
Foothow, April 13, 1868. Isop

NOTICE.
ROM and after this date Mr George F.
BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the
Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this
Port.
S. L. PHELPS,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 1, 1867.

Dock.
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK
COMPANY, LIMITED.
CAPITAL \$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES OF \$500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABER-
DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full
working order; and the attention of Ship-
owners is respectfully solicited to the advan-
tages which these Establishments offer for
the Docking and Repair of Vessels.
The following description of the Premises
is submitted for the information of the
Public.

ABERDEEN DOCK.
DOCK No. 1.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 330 feet.
Breadth, 30.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18
do., Neap Tides, 15.

NEW DOCK, No. 2.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 400 feet.
Breadth, 30.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24
do., Neap Tides, 21.

This Dock is now under course of con-
struction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.
DOCK A.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 550 feet.
Breadth, 30.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18
do., Neap Tides, 15.

The above are the largest Docks in China
and they are fitted with every appliance in
the way of Caisssons, powerful Steam Pumps,
etc., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK B.
Built of GRANITE.
Length, 340 feet.
Breadth, 60.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18
do., Neap Tides, 15.

The above are the largest Docks in China
and they are fitted with every appliance in
the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps,
etc., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.
Built of Wood.
Length, 260 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14
do., Neap Tides, 11.

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.
DOCK D.
Length, 164 feet.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6
do., Neap Tides, 9.6.

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for
small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.
The Workshops on the Premises, both at
Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every
apparatus necessary for the Repairs of Ships
or Steam Machinery. The Engineers' Shops
are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Milling,
Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &
capable of executing work on the largest
scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally
well supplied with plant, and the work is
entirely carried on under the Supervision of
experienced Europeans.

J. S. HOOK.
Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at this port as
General Commission Merchant under
the Style and Firm of GIFFORD & PARKER
& Co.
SAIGON, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. FERNAND NISSEN and MR. HEINRICH
HOFFMANN have been authorized to sign
our Firm here and in China from this date.
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, May 12, 1868. Isop

NOTICE.
THE Partnership between the Under-
signed, and Mr AUGUSTE NIETZSCHE, Mr
ROBERT CARLTON DONALDSON MORAN, and
Mr FRANZ BOEHMSTRAEGER, lately carrying
on Business in London and China under
the Firm of TRAUTMANN & Co., has been
dissolved from the 1st instant by letter of
time.

J. F. H. TRAUTMANN,
Shanghai, June 10, 1868. July 22

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned will continue to carry
on the business of their late Firm, at
Shanghai and Tientsin, under the same
Style of TRAUTMANN & Co.,
J. F. H. TRAUTMANN,
R. C. D. MOFFAT.
Shanghai, June 16, 1868. July 22

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H. J. DRING,
Marine Surveyor.
Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.
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New Advertisements.

TO LET.
TWO large Rooms, suitable for Offices,
on First Floor of our Premises at
Pedder's Wharf.

Also
The Whole, or One Half, of the Second
Floor, with Bed Rooms, Dining Room and
Parlor.

THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, July 15, 1868. Isop

FOR SALE.
Ex "COLORADO."
PICKLED MACKEREL in KITS.
SALMON
Dried Bear TONGUES.
Fresh BUTTER in lbs. Time at 60c. per
lb.

New CALIFORNIA CHEESE, by the pound,
at 40c.

SALAD DRESSING in bottles.
Eastern and California HAMS.

FRESH HOMINY in 10lb. Tins.

California WINES and BITTERS.

California BRANDY and Baker's BIT-
TERS.

THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, July 15, 1868. Isop

FOR SALE.
The French Barque "LEON LEONIE"
of 269 Tons Register, built at
Santore, 1866.

For particulars and Inventory, apply to
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
Hongkong, July 15, 1868. Isop

THEATRE COMIQUE.
BE GREAT AUSTRALIAN DRA-
MATIC CORPS, will shortly arrive
and give a few Representations in Hong-
kong. For Particulars see Bills.
Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

WANTED.
A Gentleman of many
years experience, Employment
in a good Mercantile House, in China, or
Japan.

Address H. office of this paper.
Hongkong, July 10, 1868. Isop

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE—

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,
Per "YESNG" at 2 P.M. on Thursday,

the 16th instant.

FOR SINGAPORE & BOMBAY.—

Per "FUSIYAMA," To-morrow, the

16th instant, at 11 A.M.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG, & CAL-
CUTTA.—

Per "REIVER," on Monday, the 20th

Instant, at 5 P.M.

Correspondence may be posted in
the Night Box from 5 P.M. on the

20th until 4 A.M. on the 21st Inst.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr
FRANCIS PAINE and Mr THOMAS
SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st Decem-
ber, 1867, from which date the Partners are
Mr CHARLES WILSON MURRAY, MR. ANTHONY
SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYLE.

BIRLEY & Co.
Hongkong, June 15, 1868. Isop

NOTICE.

I HAVE established myself from this date
as Shipandler and General Store
keeper under the Firm and Style of

L. FRIKEL & Co.,

at the Premises, lately occupied by Messrs
DE SILVER & Co., Queen's Road Central.

LEOPOLD FRIKEL

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LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, June 30, 1868.

NOTICE.

A SITUATION as STEWARDESS in a
House or on a Vessel going to Cali-
fornia or New York, by a Woman formerly
employed in such capacity. The person
speaks English and French, is very capa-
ble, and bears a very good character.

Apply to the Revd. R. LECHLER,

or to Mr J. B. ENDICOTT.

Hongkong, June 20, 1868.

NOTICE.

ON and after Wednesday the 15th inst.,
the Company's steamers will leave
Canton for Hongkong, at 10 o'clock A.M.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

General Agents.

Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND
MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Dividend at the rate of \$4.50 per
share, declared at the Ordinary Half-
yearly MEETING of the Shareholders on
the 11th instant, will be paid at the office
of the General Agents on and after Thurs-
day, the 16th instant.

By order of the Board of Directors,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

General Agents.

Hongkong, July 17, 1868. Isop

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THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND
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NOTICE.

THE connection of the Undersigned with
the Firm of Messrs THOS. HUNT & Co.,

ceased from this date.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, May 1, 1868. Isop

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C. A. SAINT.

MAIL.

JULY 15, 1868.

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with one of the most creditable attributes
of the R. C. Missions in China—that of
contributing to a better knowledge of the
country. After the arrival of the next
mail copies will, we believe, be obtainable
of Messrs De Souza & Co. and of the
gentlemen at St. Saviour's College.

The Dutch correspondent of the *London & China Express* gives a remarkable piece
of news in his letter to that journal. The
subject is not one with which journalists
as a rule care to meddle, but if people
will drag indecency before the public it
is but mistaken prudence to affect an
entire ignorance of such prostitution of the
powers of the press. The correspondent
in question says:

"This mail the first number of the *Gazette de Juro* will reach our colonies. As a
curiosity I state that this paper is printed at
Paris as the special organ of the *demi-monde*. The title is derived from the *Argos*,
spoken and written by '*ces dames*' and
which they call *Jacinais*. It is in the ordinary
French language, with the exception,
that all the vowels are doubled.

The fact that '*ces dames*' should find
a publisher bold enough to publish a journal
especially devoted to their interests
speaks volumes for the state of public
morals, and for the much talked of 'cen-
sorship of the press' in Paris. The official
who cannot contemplate without
iniquity an allusion to French liberty
of the press, can yet sanction the issue of
a journal devoted to the interests of the
demi-monde! At least such would appear
to be the case, and if the statement be
true we need not feel jealous of the moral
reputation of our gallic neighbours. That
'One swallow does not make a summer'
is a truism, nor would the mere fact of
a Holywell-street publication being print-
ed in Paris stamp that city as a Gomor-
rah. But when we find its issue noted
without shame as a public fact likely to
interest Dutch and French colonists in
the Far East, we are compelled to protest
against the offence perpetrated. It
may well be that the simple protest of
one journal in the East is but of small
account. But that protest were univer-
sal, the shameless publishers of such a production
would find the speculation less lucrative
than it is now likely to be.

We regret to learn that, owing to the in-
disposition of the Chief Justice, the causes
to have been heard to-day have been, ex-
necessitate, postponed. Much public at-
tention has been attracted to to-day's
proceedings on account of two reasons:
one, a collateral issue arising out of the
Miu case; the other, the unfortunate dif-
ferences which have led to severe com-
plaint on the part of his Lordship as to
the conduct of certain members of the
colonial bar; and the public were propor-
tionally disappointed that nothing was
done. At the next sitting of the Court
it is to be hoped that these matters will
be definitely settled, as nothing tends
more thoroughly to bring the law with
disrespect than these skirmishes—to use
no stronger term—which seem of late to
have been unhappily frequent.

ANOTHER COOLIE MUTINY.

A gentleman has kindly furnished us
with the following account, which is one
of the most horrible of the many horrible
incidents peculiar to the Coolie Trade,
which we have yet published:

I drop you a few lines, which I am sure
you will give space to. The Italian ship
Theresa arrived in Macao yesterday morn-
ing, having left the above-named port for
Callao about 5 months ago, and brings with
her one of the most dreadful tales of mutiny
which I have heard for many years.

It appears from the statement of the
Capt. Boles, that she sailed from Macao
with 296 coolies, and general cargo of silk,
etc., on the 3rd of February last. Things
seem to have been as usual, and after a
passage of 62 days, land was sighted which
proved to be New Zealand. While the men
were employed in the fore part of the ship,
a rust was made off by the Coolies to seize
the cabin and arms, which they accomplished,
and before 10 minutes had elapsed, 12
of the crew were killed, cut to pieces and
thrown overboard; the second mate was
also killed on the top-gallant fore-castle
while fighting manfully by one of the ship's
crew who shot him with a rifle to save his
own life. The mate had 17 wounds and was
placed in irons, and after 50 days torture,
each of the living mates into his head, etc., was
killed about 2 days before the ship arrived
of the Coast of China. But now comes
the most horrid part of this story.

The Hakkas and Punts, after the ship was
taken, had a free fight, and in less than two
hours 50 were killed and their heads taken
off; after which they were placed in boxes
and put in the ship's hold. The stench after
six days was dreadful, and to add to this
the Captain's wife was placed in the tween
decks, and not treated with the greatest
kindness.

There is no doubt but the greater part
of the coolies were pirates, as they made the
Captain steer for the harbour of Tin-pack
and had quite a knowledge of the use of the
compass and of the chart.

The ship, after anchoring in the port of
Tin-pack, was stripped of everything of value,
and in this plunder we are informed the
Mandarin gave every assistance. The ship's
mane was taken off all her boats, and after
many trials she reached Macao Roads
yesterday with a crew of about 8 European
sailors, including the Captain's wife.

LOCAL.

The students of the Messageries Imperiales
are now despatched from Marseilles at
4.30 A.M., instead of 2 P.M., as hitherto.

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livering over to the Police Authorities the
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Hongkong that morning, H. M. S. *Aurige*
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Ching Village. The following day at 11

A.M. she weighed and proceeded to the
South coast of Lantau and North of Soko
and Achau Islands for Bodiam Cove in
Tong-ho Island. At 2 P.M. she steamed
into the cove, but finding no junk there, made
for Macao, where the ship anchored at 5
P.M. On Monday, the 13th inst., at Noon,
she again weighed and proceeded out of
Macao Harbor for Cum-Sing-Mun Harbor,
where she arrived at 3 P.M. All the vil-
lages and junks were visited, but nothing
suspicious was observed. On Tuesday, the
14th instant, at 8 A.M., she left Cum-Sing-
Mun Harbor, visited Tyau in Lantau Island
and Deep Bay, N.E. of Lantau Island, and
after landing the Mandarin at Kowloon,
anchored off Hongkong at 8.30 P.M. During
the cruise the *Aurige* experienced
light S.W. and S.E. breezes and beautiful
weather.

The Dutch correspondent of the *London & China Express* gives a remarkable piece
of news in his letter to that journal. The
subject is not one with which journalists
as a rule care to meddle, but if people
will drag indecency before the public it
is but mistaken prudence to affect an
entire ignorance of such prostitution of the
powers of the press. The correspondent
in question says:

"It is somewhat strange, but nevertheless
true, that a circus troupe draws an audience in
Hongkong, even better than a dramatic or
opera company. The second season
was opened by Mr Wilson last night, and
the event proved that he had not been
over-sanguine when he determined to per-
form once again in Hongkong. All the acts
were well received, especially those of the
dashing and daring Zeyara, whose feats of
riding seem to be little affected by travel,
or weather, or lack of practice. We have
little doubt but the Great World Circus
would get tolerably well filled for months
to come, if kept open so long. Representa-
tions will be given every night this week."

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TO-DAY'S POLICE.

Mr Gooldale was flooded this morning
with summonses cases, three or four of which
were against foreigners.

Mr M. A. Collago, 2d clerk at the Police
Office, was called up to answer a sum-
mons for assault at the instance of the
Chinese porter at the Club Lusitano. From
complainant's statement, it seemed that he
was sitting at the door of the Club on
Monday night, when defendant was coming in,
and that, after asking him to stand up,
defendant struck him with a stick, causing
some insignificant marks shown. Defendant,
in defence, stated that, on Monday night,
while going to his quarters (as he
lived at the Club) he observed complainant
hanging his legs over the stairs, and told
him to get up. Complainant then used a
most disgusting expression in Chinese, and
laid hold of him by the jacket, tearing his
jacket and inflicting a bite on his shoulder.
He also lost a stick in the struggle. It was
his intention to have taken a summons
against the coolie, but the coolie had beaten
him as to time.—Complainant stated that
he had no witnesses, as defendant had per-
suaded the Secretary of the Club not to
allow any of the coolies to leave the premises.—
His Worship said that he would dismiss
the case, but he hoped that defendant
would bring the matter before the
authorities of the Club.—Defendant, who
more than once interrupted the Magis-
trate, wished to know whether he could
get out a summons against the porter,
biting his shoulder. His Worship replied
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of the candidates for the degree of *Sze-kai*,
which is lower than that of *Ku-yen*. It
appears the examination for the first-named
degree is held twice in the course of three
years, and the number of competent stu-
dents is restricted for each district, of
which there are thirteen or fourteen, viz.,
Nan-hui, Poen-yu, Shoo-tuck, Tong-kou,
Heng-shan and others. But the chief dis-
trict is the third first-named, of which
the Nan-hui is entitled to 25 seats, and the
following two to 20 seats respectively,
which represent the successful candidates,
and upon whom only the *Wu-kuang* is issued,
in which our Celestial friends have just
finished dabbling as the examination has
commenced; and they will be now anxious-
ly counting the days as they roll on for
the bulletins from the Yamen to appear.

The investor of one dollar stands the chance
of drawing a prize of either \$600, or \$200,
or \$100. Thus if an individual, who has
been born under the influence of a lucky
star, invests \$10, he may draw the hands-
ome prize of \$6,000 without any exertion,
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on an excessively shady certainty of 'some-
thing turning up.' Fly your Sir Richard
Stewart, as he would not make any
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the service.

The French are naturally puzzled at a prop-
erty which is held in common by all the
members of the colony, and which is
not divided among them. The explanation
offered must be still more puzzling to a logical
nation. The sergeant of police said that
the Scotch did not like being taken for
English, and therefore were always getting
up fights. The premises of this argument
are simple enough. It is profoundly humili-
ating, when you first go abroad, to find
that foreigners don't instantly recognise a
Scotch brogue—it is a similar annoyance to
those who speak the language of their native
country.

Our little chapel is undergoing the repairs
which it so badly required, and with some
interval alterations, which have been effected,
it looks neater still. The fine striking
time-piece of the old church was removed,
prior to the premises being blown up by
Admiral Seymour; but report has it that it
has got spoiled from the effects of the dampness
of the godown in which it was kept. It
is said to be a good clock, and it is
now in the possession of the Chinese
Government.

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Mr Byramjee, with a short whip. Very
marked contradictions, however, were dis-
cernible as the examination proceeded, and
one strong point was, that complainant had
not said a word about beating when he
was given in charge by defendant for
making the row, while he was foolish
enough to say that he did not then
show the weaks on his back because
he had not time.—His Worship was per-
fectly satisfied with the case without any
evidence for the defence. He was pretty
certain the witnesses had told lies deliberately,
and he would punish them. Defendant
was discharged, and complainant and his
witnesses were each fined \$10, or in default
to go to Gaol for three weeks.—The
surprise of the complainant and his witness-
men at hearing this, was most genuine and intense.

Fourteen Chinese fruiturers were brought
up on remand to day on a charge of piracy.
The facts, as before disposed to, are these:
The Sunhee junk (Wong Achow, master)
left Tampin on the 8th instant for Hong-
kong, with a cargo of fruit, and on reaching
Macau and anchoring there, she found
other three junks anchored, from one of
which came a sampan, which pulled along-
side and from which a number of men
boarded. They took five muskets from the
Sunhee junk. This is the master's state-
ment; but said he that he failed to recognise
any of the men. On going out in a
guinea boat, he found the five muskets.
Two sailors of silver, one picul of melon, and a
picul of lichees were taken by the pirates.
To-day Mr Sharp appeared for the four-
teen, alleged pirates or fruiturers; and
Lieut. Donville gave evidence. That officer
said that he went out in the *Algerine*,
to Machau on the 10th, and found three
junks and a stone-boat at anchor; they
were recognised as the three junks which
were engaged in the piracy by the infor-
mant on board. There was also a mandra-
on board, who requested him to stand
in shore. On boarding one of the junks, he
found two guns and three pistols (loaded),
a profusion of stink-pots and loose gun-
powder, and a number of gingko,
spares, shields and powder flasks. Several
of the crew ran away and got amongst
the hills. Second prisoner was identified
as the master of the Sunhee junk, and
was sent to the second junk and was
shot. One man who was not in the right by
a man who was now in hospital, the
shot him because he had inflicted a gash
on his leg. A witness said he had been
leveling a gash at him. A witness
had been taken from the stone-boat who
was in a position to state that he saw the
piracy committed. The Mandarin was not
present in Court. The junks looked like
pirates, as they had no cargo, while they
had a superabundance of arms. Mr Gooldale
adjourned the case till Friday next.

SCOTCH AND ENGLISH.
(Saturday Review.)

The people who inhabit these small
islands are a charming illustration of the
blessedness of brethren who dwell together
in unity. We occasionally indulge in a few
jokes at each other's expense, which, when
Irishmen are concerned, are apt to take a
practical turn. But there is no doubt of the
profundity of the affection with which Eng-
lishmen and Scotchmen regard each other.
It is true that there are a few sneering
remarks amongst us at the expense of our
Scotch brethren; we are apt to accuse them
of excessive zeal in the religious questions,
combined with an equally excessive attention
to worldly matters; and, which is more annoying,
to change them with a want of humour. There
is something respectable about being called a bigot or a skin-
flint, but it is irritating to any man to be accused
of not seeing a joke. Making
allowance for these bits of conventional
sarcasm—and friends are always the better
for two or three standing jokes to throw at
each other's hand—we all love the Scotch
like brothers. The very sound of the
brogue is music in our ears, and to see a
gentleman walking about without a trowsers
sends a thrill to the heart of every Briton.

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which is lower than that of *Ku-yen*. It
is not until throughout the world, and that
in the old story was told by the Senor Me

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General Post Office,
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E. L. WOODIN,
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W. MACAULAY,
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Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

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Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

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The undermentioned Papers are filed:

China Mail, Daily Press, China Express,

Illustrated London News, Punch, Engineer,

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COATS.
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TROUSERS.
Angola and Tweed
USERS.
Linen TROUSERS.
VESTS.
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Alpaca VESTS.
Linen VESTS.
men VESTS.

JOE GOODS, comprising

Broad CLOTHS and
KINS.
SKINS, ANGOLAS,
FLANNELS, of
n's Patterns.

ment of HOSIERY.

Linen FRONTS, &c.
ool SHIRTS.
mbawool and Flannel
UNDER VESTS.

HOSE.
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DRESS GLOVES.
TIES, Choker
HANDKERCHIEFS.
old and Felt HATS,
et Shape.

DS and SHOES.
alking STICKS, Cloth
BRUSHES.

Fancy SOAPS,
y of other GOODS.
o CLAUSSEN,
s Road.

S AND OTHERS.
REVER from Cal-
fine GUAVA JELLY

RIA DISPENSARY,
ongkong.
1868.

ENT FOR THE OPEN
N JAPAN.

INVOICE COST.
nting Establishment,
aining one Cylinder,
amburg, a small hand-
ity of Fancy and run-
ht iron chests, &c.;
spect. Delivery may
ce price \$2,000.
s, apply to
C. A. SAINT, or to
DE SOUZA & Co.
6, 1868.

SALE.
PROPERTY on Queen's
occupied by Messrs
Co.

ulars, apply to
H. ARCHER & Co.
ber 2, 1867.

SALE.
CIC FEET MANILA
EMBER, to arrive per
TRIA MORTON."

BROTHERS & Co.
ber 26, 1868.

NDY in 1 doz. cases.
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BIRLEY & Co.
9, 1867.

SALE.
AL and NAILS, 18 to
P. St. PIERRE, 1852.
PAGNE, H. PIPER &
NE, in Boxes of 1 doz.
RAYNAL & Co.
er 1, 1866.

pe & Lurin's Fine
ERFUMES.

BOOTS.
ly Reduced Prices, by
LES EPUISER,
ing Room, Up-stairs.
ber 4, 1867.

SALE:
it Purchasers,
ATHING and NAILS.
AILS.

In glass, all of super-
ior quality.

CARLOWITZ & Co.
19, 1868.

by CHARLES ABRAHAM
at No. 2, Wyndham
ongkong.

For Sale.

CAVITE CIGARS and **THE BOOTS** of best quality.
Havana CIGARS in boxes of 50
and 100 each, from \$5 to \$30
per 100.
Hamburg and Bremen CIGARS
in great variety.
15 different kinds of Russian
CIGARETTES.
Fresh Birdseye, Shag, Latakia,
Turkey and Havana TOBACCO
and Smoking Mixture. Honey-
dew, Goldbars, Harn's fine Cut,
Kilkenny, &c.
FOR SALE by
BIELFIELD and ZACHARIAE,
Hongkong, June 27, 1868.

FOR SALE

Be "ESTAFETTE" and other Arrivals.
ENGLINE AVII GIN in red cases, 15
squares.
Genuine AVII GIN, in white bottles.
Palme-tree Brand GIN, in 15 squares.
Dutch CURACAO, in stone bottles.
AT LAMBERT ATKINSON & Co.
Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

DOCKS.

**THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF
HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.**

THE Company respectively beg to call the
attention of Ship Owners, Consignees
and Masters of Vessels to their establish-
ments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which
offer every facility for the docking and re-
pairs of Vessels of all classes.

Their Docks at Whampoa are in good
working order, and are pumped out by
Steam, and the workshops comprise the
different departments of Shipwright, Black-
smith, Boilermaker, and Machine works.
Materials supplied of the best kind and on
the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a
pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of
which masts and boilers can be taken out
of Vessels.

Their Hongkong establishment comprises
also the different departments of Shipwright,
Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machine works,
and possesses a pair of lifting
shears.

Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad-
vantageously situated, solidly built, and of
full dimensions to admit the docking of any
Vessel coming to this harbour, will be com-
pleted in a very short time.

The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"
is always in readiness to tow Vessels to
Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new
berth, at reduced rates.

all works carried on under the superin-
tendence of experienced European foremen.
For particulars, apply at the office of the
Company, Queen's Road.

JOHN INGLES,
Acting Secretary.
M. B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels
having cause to complain of the works done
at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad-
dress their complaints to the Office of the
Company, which will receive the immediate atten-
tion of the Directors.

Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

INSURANCES.

**THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE
COMPANY.**
(Established 1st January, 1868.)

CAPITAL, £1,500,000, in 1,500 SHARES
FOR £1,000 EACH.

Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000,
or Taels 200 per Share.

Proprietary Committee.

W. J. BRYAN, Esq., Chairman.

(Messrs TURNER & Co.).

F. H. BELL, Esq.

(Messrs W. R. ADAMSON & Co.).

A. MICHAEL, Esq.

(Messrs CHAPMAN, KING & Co.).

E. H. LAVERS, Esq.

(Messrs GILMAN & Co.).

F. POLTER, Esq.

(Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.).

Directors of the Company, 1866-68.

JARDINE, MATHEWSON & Co.,
General Managers,

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE following date the following

rates will be charged for Short Period

Insurances, viz.—

Not exceeding 1 month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Annual Rate.

and not exceeding three months, $\frac{1}{4}$ do.

Above 3 months, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Annual Rate.

and not exceeding six months, $\frac{1}{4}$ do.

Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.

JARDINE, MATHEWSON & Co.,
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Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

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Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

NOTICE.

Resolutions referred to above.

Res. I.—That a Company be called

the "North-China Insurance Company"

shall be formed for a further period of three

years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec.,

1871.

Res. II.—That the Directors for the time

being of the present Company be appointed

to act as a Provisional Committee to orga-

nize the new Company.

Res. III.—That this meeting recommends

that the Provisional Committee should

adopt as the basis of the new Company that

the capital should be £1,000,000 in 1,500

Shares of £1,000 each; Paid up Capital,

Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that

the Committee be authorized to issue a

Prospectus inviting applications for Shares

and to proceed with the allotment.

31st

INSURANCES.

NOTICE.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.
ROM and after this date the following

Rates will be charged for Short Period

Insurances, viz.—

Not exceeding one month, $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Annual Rate.

Above one month, $\frac{1}{4}$ do.

and not exceeding three months, $\frac{1}{4}$ do.

Above 3 months, $\frac{1}{4}$ do.

and not exceeding 6 months, $\frac{1}{4}$ do.

Above 6 months, the full annual rate.

TURNER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES
OF £1,000 EACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and
\$100 six months after Allotment.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this

port, are prepared to grant Policies against

FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on Buildings

or on Goods stored therein.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE
COMPANY.

CAPITAL, "TWO MILLION STERLING."

£100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and
£100 six months after Allotment.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this

port, are prepared to accept Risks on the usual

terms, payable in case of loss.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET.
THE whole of the Second Floor now occupied by the Undersigned, situated at Pedder's Wharf, comprising Dining Room and Pantry and fifteen Bed Rooms.
Also,

One half of the First Floor suitable for Offices.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.
The Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, or Moderate Terms.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

TO LET.
THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs ELMERSON & SANDERS.
For particulars, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

NOTICE.
TO LET
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank.
For particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.
RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, situated on the Rise of the Hill Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road. Apply to
MR. BARRINGTON,
Wynham Street.
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

FIRST RATE ROOMS for Offices or Dwelling HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. The whole in a thorough state of repair.
Apply to
Messrs WM. SCHMIDT & Co.,
Gunmakers,
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

TO LET.
A HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms, and Out Houses; Rent, \$28 per month.
Apply to the Victoria Foundry.
Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO BE LET.
TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marina Lot No. 63.
Apply to
GAVIN THOMPSON,
at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET.
4 COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c.
Apply to
THOMAS WALLACE,
East Point Godown.
Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

STORAGE FOR OPIUM.
THE Undersigned is prepared to STORE Opium in a first class Granite Godown on premises, situated on Praya Central.
CHARLES RIVINGTON,
3, Stanley Street.
Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

TO LET.
THE Large Matched No. 3, at Pockefulun, containing five rooms with out-houses and Stables attached. Water laid.
For particulars, apply to
H. PESTON JEE SETNA,
at Messrs P. A. C. CAMAIE & Co.'s Office.
Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

TO LET.
THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messrs ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Office, and spacious Godown.
Possession to be had on the 1st March.
Apply to
JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO BE LET.
Furnished or Unfurnished.
THE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr N. R. MARSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks.
Application can be made to Mr MARSON at the Albany.
Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET.
FOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned, 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. HOON & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868.
For terms, &c., apply to
G. DUBOST & Co.
Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

HARLES A. SAINT has on sale
SCORE BOOKS
FOR RIFLE PRACTICE,
(as used at the WIMBLETON RIFLE MEETINGS.)

CONTAINING:-
LIST OF OFFICERS, PRESIDENT AND COMMITTEE, LIST OF MEMBERS, RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION, BY-LAWS, INSTRUCTIONS FOR REGISTER, KEEPER, AND TAX-GATHERERS.
PRICE, 50 cents each
Suitable for the waistcoat pocket.

WASHING BOOKS
in English and Chinese.
WASHMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office—Price, \$1 each.
"China Mail" Office

Shipping in Harbour.

HONG KONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Departures, and Clearances.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.C., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

VESSELS LOADING.

Destination	Vessel's Name	Flag & Rig.	Consignee	Intended Despatch
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—				
CHEFOO	Flying Cloud*	Br. bk. Grun & Co		
FOOCHOW	Silva Blanche	Br. bk. Birley & Co		
Do.	Odore	Br. sh. Birley & Co		
Do.	Sampson	N.G. bk. Wm. Pustau & Co		
Do.	Tycoon	Br. bk. Gibb, Livingston & Co		
TIENSIN	J. & Joseph	Fr. bk. Thomas Howard		
OTHER PORTS—				
BANGKOK	Hera	Br. sh. Order		
Do.	W. Australian	Br. sh. Nowrojee & Co		
BOMBAY	Fusiyama	Br. str. D. Layrak & Co		
BUENOS AIRES	Amadine*	Br. bk. Borneo Company		
CALLAO	H. & Emma*	Br. sh. Gibb, Livingston & Co		
HAMBURG	P. Rickmers	Ger. bk. Melchers & Co		
Do.	M. L. Ant.*	Du. bk. Order		
LIVERPOOL	E. Haviland	Br. bk. Gibb, Livingston & Co		
LONDON	N. Bryson*	Br. sh. Oliphant & Co		
Do.	Dumain*	Br. sh. Gilman & Co		
Do.	Fusiyama*	Br. sh. Gibb, Livingston & Co		
MANILA	Isle of Wight	Br. sh. Borneo Company		
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Sunshine	Br. bk. Russell & Co		
Do.	Wm. Fruin	Br. sh. R. S. Walker & Co		
Do.	Carpingnoon	Br. bk. S. E. Burrows & Sons		
SAIGON	O. & Antonie	N.G. sh. P. & O. Co		
SAN FRANCISCO	Pekin	Am. bk. Oliphant & Co		
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*At Whampoa.

+At Canton

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name	Flag	Rig.	Guns	Tons	Captain
Algerine	British	gun-boat	3	299	C. E. Domville, Lieut.
Cockchafer	British	gun-boat	—	230	Kerr,
Comions	Portuguese	gun-boat	2	.....
Drake	British	gun-boat	8	.....	C. Crowley, Lieut.
Fee-loong	Chinese	gun-boat	5	.....	Edwards
Flamer	British	naval hospital	—	.....	Attached to Melville
Melville	British	naval hospital	—	.....	R. Berward, D.M.I.G. &c.
Pearl	British	co. corvette	21	1469	John Fra Ross, Captain
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14	.....	Commodore Oliver Jones
Serpent	British	gun-vessel	4	605	C. Bullock, Comr.
Tien Po	Chinese	gun-boat	6	.....	Longuerille
Unadilla	U. States	gun-boat	5	180	Hatfield, Lt. Commander

MEN-OF-WAR AT CANTON.

Chun Hoi	Chinese	gun-boat	4	Marcy
Hai-ching	Chinese	Customs' cruiser	4	Folsom
Sui-tsing	Chinese	gun-boat	5	Stewart

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel	Flag	Tons	Captain	Owners or Agents
Caledonia	British	227	Steward	Riach & Co
Dragon	Do.	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame (110 h. power)	Do.	380	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug	
Fire Dart*	Do.	450	H. & M. Steam-boat Co.	
Kin Shan	Do.	617	Banning	H. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kin Kiang*	Do.	49	Acteong	
Lintin	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug
Little Orphan	Do.	379	Laid up	H. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Poyang	Do.	101	Godill	Q. Acheng
Prince Albert	Do.	140	Sparks	Amer. Hunt & Co
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	280	Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	Do.	282	Carroll	H. & M. Steam-boat Co.

* At Whampoa

† At Canton

‡ At Macao

§ At Hongkong

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